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Art Unit : 2857 Examiner: James P. TRAMMELL  
For : ELECTRONIC PAYMENT INTERCHANGE CONCENTRATOR

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.322 AND 37 CFR 1.323**

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Sir:

Upon reviewing the above-identified patent, the Patent Owner noted several errors which should be corrected.

The formal drawings inadvertently omitted an item number (item number 30 in Figure 2) that was shown in the drawings as filed. Therefore, the following change should be made to reflect this discrepancy:

At column 8, line 41, please delete "30" before "for."

Figure 2 shows item number 10, but the specification inadvertently left out item .

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number 10. Accordingly, please correct the following typographical error:

At column 8, line 21, please insert --10-- after "system's."

The following minor typographical errors were found in the publication of the patent and were not made by the Applicant during prosecution of the patent application. These changes should be made as the errors can be found when comparing the published patent and the originally filed specification on March 7, 1995 and the Amendment filed on June 13, 1997. Therefore, the following changes should be made to correct these errors:

At column 6, line 37, please delete "01" and insert --O1-- therefor.

At column 6, line 40, please delete "RI" and insert --R1-- therefor.

At column 6, line 47, please delete "01" and insert --O1-- therefor.

At column 13, line 13, please delete "by" and insert --(c)-- therefor.

At column 16, line 17, please delete "second."

The Patentee respectfully submits that with respect to the requested changes due to the Patentee's errors discussed above, the mistakes occurred in good faith, that the mistakes are of a clerical nature, of a typographical nature, or a mistake of minor character. Further, the corrections do not involve changes which would constitute new matter or require reexamination.

Transmitted herewith is a proposed Certificate of Correction effectuating such

amendment. The Patentee respectfully solicits the granting of the requested Certificate of Correction.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.323, this Request for a Certificate of Correction is accompanied by the fee set forth in §1.20(a).

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Should there be any questions, the undersigned may be contacted at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,  
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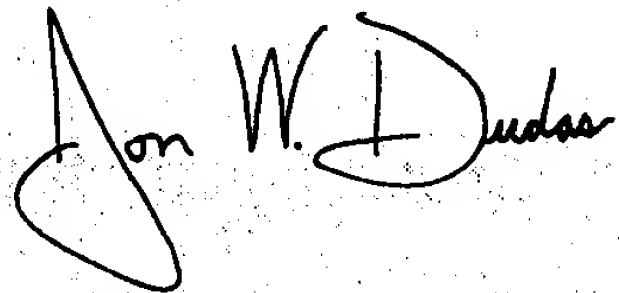
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Signed and Sealed this

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